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In re Application of

Takao FUKUNAGA et al.

Serial No. 10/731,006

Filed: December 10, 2003

For: TORQUE CONVERTER

Patent Art Unit: 3745

Examiner: Michael S. Leslie

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

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TOTAL 5	- 20	=	0	x 25 =	\$	x 50 =	\$
INDEP 1	- 3	=	0	x 100 =	\$	x 200 =	\$
[ ] 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM				+ 180 =	\$	+ 360 =	\$
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the June 14, 2005 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page two (2) of this paper. Claims 1-3, 6, and 7 are pending, with claim 1 being the only independent claims.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page four (4) of this paper.